



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ARMIN RETTIG ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/018,896

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For: METHOD FOR REFINISHING  
DEFECTS IN STOVED ENAMELS  
WITH POWDER COATINGS

Art Unit: 1762

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 4, 2005 AND ADVISORY ACTION MAILED JULY 13, 2005, AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114**

Applicants respond herein to the Final Office Action mailed on May 4, 2005 and the Advisory Action mailed on July 13, 2005. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR §1.114 accompanies this Response. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks. A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a), and the requisite fee for a one month extension of time accompany this response.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this Response.